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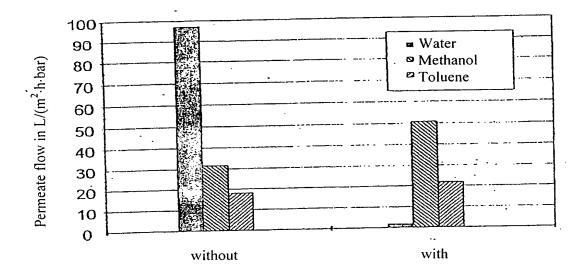
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Figure 1.



Permeate flow of a 3 nm ZrO₂ membrane without and with hydrophobing with n-octyldimethylchlorosilane in the liquid phase.

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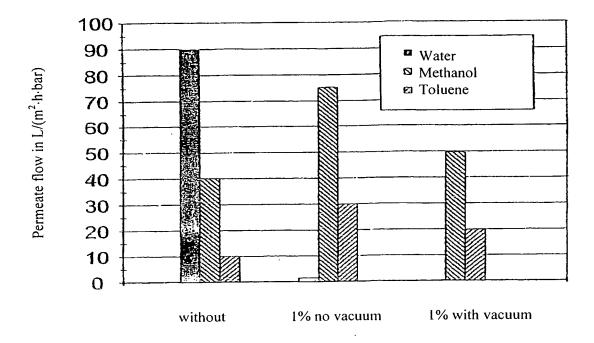
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Figure 2.



Permeate flow of a 5 nm $\rm TiO_2$ membrane without hydrophobing and with hydrophobing with tetradecafluoro-1,1,2,2-tetrahydrooctyltrichlorosilane in the liquid phase with and without vacuum support.

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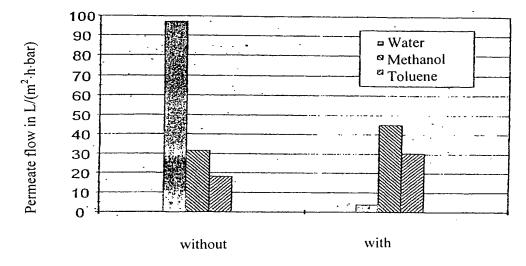
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Figure 3.



Permeate flow of a 3 nm ZrO₂ membrane without and with hydrophobing with trimethylchlorosilane in the gas phase.